

ACTION MEMO

30 Jul 2019

FOR: COMMANDANT OF MIDSHIPMEN, U.S. NAVAL ACADEMY

FROM: LIEUTENANT SEAN GARFOLA, MIDSHIPMEN ACTIVITIES OFFICER

SUBJECT: CLASS OF 2021 PARENTS WEEKEND SCHEDULE

DISCUSSION: 2/C Midshipmen Parents Weekend occurs 13-15 September 2019.

BACKGROUND:

a. 2/C Midshipmen Parents Weekend is scheduled for 13-15 September 2019, and coincides with the Navy vs. East Carolina University Football Game.

b. Parents will attend classes Friday, 13 September 2019 with their midshipmen, and dine in King Hall for lunch following Noon Meal Formation.

(1) Plebes and 2/C will dine in King Hall with the parents of the class of 2021.

(2) 1/C and 3/C will be served "Grab and Go" style from Dahlgren Hall.

WAY AHEAD:

a. Mailers will be sent no later than 14 August 2019.

b. 2/C Midshipmen will need to purchase meal tickets for any guests in King Hall.

RECOMMENDATION: Commandant of Midshipmen approves by initialing as below appropriate.

Approve AS/5 Disapprove _____

ATTACHMENTS:

TAB A: Letter from Class President

TAB B: Schedule of Events from 13-15 September 2019

TAB C: Parking Memo

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TAB A



Dear Parents,

On behalf of the United States Naval Academy Class of 2021, you are cordially invited to enjoy a fall weekend in Annapolis for 2/C Parents' Weekend, September 13-15, 2019. Our sincere thanks go out to you for all the help and support you have given us during our first two years "By the Bay." Your guidance and encouragement have been essential and greatly appreciated through these demanding times.

It seems like yesterday we began our journey at USNA. Our experiences and lessons learned so far will last a lifetime. Our first two years have tested us in every pillar of the Naval Academy mission: moral, mental, and physical. It is been a rigorous yet fulfilling experience and we all know the following years will be demanding. We often turned to you during the bad times to remind us why we came here; we now look to you and request your participation in sharing the good times ahead.

The members of the Class of 2021 invite you to take in the traditions of the Academy along with the allure and charm of Annapolis. With a full schedule of events and festivities in place we hope you find Parents' Weekend a memorable trip. The weekend will officially begin at 0755 on Friday, September 13th, when you can join us for classes, observe Noon Meal Formation, eat lunch in King Hall, and attend a formal parade. The weekend will also include a Navy Football game vs East Carolina University. There will be no registration or check-in required. Information for Parents' Weekend, including the schedule, overview and general tourist information can be found online at www.usna.edu/2CParentsWeekend/.

We look forward to spending the weekend with you!

Very Respectfully,

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2021 Class President



Class of 2021 Parents' Weekend Schedule & Information

Please visit www.usna.edu/2CParentsWeekend/ for the most up to date schedule.
*Below schedule is subject to change due to weather or other outside influences.

Friday, 13 September 2019:

ALL DAY Shuttle service will run from the stadium 0600-2300.
Shuttle service will stop at 1530 for the duration of the parade and recommence upon conclusion of the parade (approximately 1700)

Shuttle Stops:

Visitors Center, Alumni Hall, Mid-Store Parking Lot, and NMCM Stadium

0755-1520	Parents attend classes with Midshipmen (Academic Buildings)
1000-1055	Superintendent/Commandant Address to Class of 2021 Parents (Alumni Hall)
1205-1300	**Noon Meal Formation and Meal in King Hall (T-Court / King Hall)
1300-1500	Parents Visit Midshipmen rooms (Bancroft Hall)
1600	Formal Parade (Worden Field)
TBD	Liberty commences following conclusion of Formal Parade
1930	Parents' Weekend Combined Glee Club and Gospel Choir Concert (Mahan Hall)
2359	Liberty Expires for 2/C not on weekend liberty (Company Area)

****Visitors must have a lunch meal ticket, available for purchase (\$5.55) at the Accounting Office, room C106 in Bancroft Hall Basement.**

Saturday, 14 September 2019:

ALL DAY Shuttle service will not run on Saturday and stadium parking will be by football parking pass holders only. (Ticket and Game Day information can be found on the Navy Sports website, www.navysports.com.)

0800	Liberty Commences for 2/C
1400	Liberty Expires for all MIDN (Company Area)
1415	March-Over Formation (T-Court)
1430	Brigade Step-Off (T-Court)
1530	Navy Football vs. East Carolina University (Navy/Marine Corps Memorial Stadium)
TBD	Liberty commences after singing Blue and Gold at the end of the football game
2359	Liberty Expires for 2/C not on weekend liberty (Company Area)

Sunday, 15 September 2019:

ALL DAY Shuttle service will not run on Sunday

0800	Liberty Commences for 2/C
0900	Catholic Mass (Main Chapel)
1100	Protestant Worship Service (Main Chapel)
2000	Liberty Expires for all 2/C (Company Area)



Class of 2021 Parents' Weekend Parking and Security Notes

Vehicle access and parking on the Yard is extremely limited.

Drivers without Department of Defense ID cards are not permitted to drive on the Naval Academy grounds. Vehicle access may be further restricted to staff and residents during limited time frames in support of special events. Parking restrictions are strictly enforced in red curb zones. Only official vehicles may park by white curbing. The speed limit on USNA is 15 miles per hour or as posted. Due to construction of Hopper Hall, traffic patterns in the vicinity of Alumni Hall and Nimitz Library have been modified.

Offsite parking is strongly encouraged and available at the Navy-Marine Corps Memorial Stadium (NMCMS), 511 Taylor Avenue, Annapolis, for a daily parking fee (normally \$5/car and \$10/RV). Please enter through NMCMS Gate #5 on Taylor Avenue. No overnight parking is permitted.

Parking at NMCMS on Saturday will only be available to those with a season football parking pass.

USNA Security Note: All persons over 18 are required to present a valid US Government-issued photo ID or passport to enter into the Naval Academy and all personnel and vehicles are subject to search. Guests are permitted to bring daypacks, diaper bags, camera cases, and purses. Larger bags and large coolers are prohibited. All bags are subject to search; weapons and alcoholic beverages are prohibited.